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TORONTO TIDINGS

The mother of Miss Ethel Griffith left on August 4th, for a month's sojourn with her son and daughter in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Andrew S. Waggoner, of Hamilton, ex-president of the convention, was in the city, on August 1st, attending a winding up meeting of the late gathering. Harry E. Grooms is now in full control of the association reins.

Miss Pearl Hermon has returned from her three weeks' vacation at Bala, Muskoka, with Mrs. Walter Bell.

Mr. Alex. B. McCaul spent the Civic Day week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Thomas in Oakville.

Miss Norma Terrell had a little birthday party on August 9th, to usher in her eighth milestone.

Mrs. Harry Mason spent the day of August 9th, with Mr. and Mrs. John S. Bartley at Long Branch.

After Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terrell left Welland for home their son, Cecil, remained behind for a three weeks' vacation with his uncle and aunt.

Mrs. W. W. Scott and Mrs. Clarence Pinder went for a sail over to Port Dalhousie, on August 8th, to attend the annual picnic of a church to which Mrs. Scott's relatives in Wellandport belong. About three hundred attended and the ladies report a big time.

In your issue of August 2d, the name of Mrs. Thomas A. Middleton, of Horning Mills, was unintentionally omitted from the list of those who attended our big convention. She was here throughout the meet and we beg her pardon for this slight omission, also Mr. and Mrs. C. A. W. Gustin, of London.

Miss Carolyn Brethour commenced her two weeks' vacation on August 4th, and left at once for a visit to relatives and friends in Holland Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paul, of St. Thomas, were visitors here over Civic holiday.

Messrs. James Hacking and Melville Rourke, of Hamilton, were visitors here over the Civic holiday recess.

Miss Edna Williams, of Kitchener, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Mills.

We are pleased to say that Miss Annabel Thomson, who was operated on for throat trouble, is out again and improving very fast.

Miss Mabel Bremner, with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lisle Grant, motored to Owen Sound, Orangeville and Georgetown to visit friends over the week-end of July 28th, and enjoyed the outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil A. McGilivray, Mr. Horace Greig and Miss Maude Egginton went out and spent Civic holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Rooney at Birch Cliffe, who were keeping house in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Bell.

Miss Mabel Bremner, with her sister of friends in Oakville over Civic holiday and for a few days later.

Mrs. J. R. Byrne occupied the pulpit of our church on August 5th.

At time of writing, Mr. Jack Crossen, of St. Louis, Montana, is visiting relatives and friends here. His young schoolmates were glad to meet him. Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Bell are back again from their delightful visit of over a week with Mrs. Ida C. Robertson in Preston.

Mr. D. Fleming, of Craigleith, was a visitor here over the week-end of August 4th.

Mr. Roy Smythe, of Buffalo, was a visitor to this city over the week-end of August 4th.

The Frats did not hold their annual picnic at Huttonville, on August 6th, as scheduled. Everything had been arranged to carry out the programme when they got word at the last moment that the grounds were not available, so those who contemplated going went to High Park instead, where the day was spent. Owing to this rupture of their original programme and the fact that due notice could not be given out in time, the turnout at High Park was very small.

After a two weeks' visit up in Port Arthur, Mr. Edward Pilgrim returned on August 5th, and after a short stay here left for his home in Niagara Falls,

Ont. Mrs. Pilgrim and son are remaining in Port Arthur a few weeks longer.

Mr. Chas. A. Elliott enjoyed the week-end of August 4th with relatives in Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fishbein and two sons motored down from London for the week-end of August 4th, and called to see your reporter, but the latter regrets he was away to Buffalo then.

Mrs. Harry E. Grooms and children left on August 5th, for a few weeks' holidays with relatives and friends in Oshawa, Hamilton, Bowmanville, Solina and thereabouts. In the meantime Harry has been solving the intricate problems of a bachelor's dilemma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts left on the afternoon boat, on August 4th, for Niagara Falls to visit relatives and friends. Next morning they made for Buffalo. Here they were pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coughlin and Mr. and Mrs. James J. Coughlin. They were accompanied by Miss Helen A. Middleton, of Niagara Falls. Here they were shown around Bismontown, and knowing that the big gathering of the N. A. D. will convene in that city in 1930, the writer can safely say that such a place is an ideal one with every convenience handy. The parks are beautiful and spacious, the citizens most courteous, and the accommodations excellent. The reporter visited the Statler Hotel, where the sessions will be held, and was amazed at the luxurious furnishings and spacious rotundas with their cushioned lounges everywhere. Those who foregather there in August of 1930 are in for a rollicking time, and the way the local committee is going to entertain the delegates is simply staggering in its hospitality and enjoyment. This is no exaggeration, mind you. The committee's programme of entertainment is full of solid enjoyment from beginning to end. The Canadian visitors were delighted to meet Mr. and Mrs. Norton at the James Coughlin home. Monday morning Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Miss Middleton and Mrs. Leo Coughlin left by boat for Crystal Beach, where they enjoyed a good time. Early in the afternoon they bade their kind hosts, Mrs. Coughlin, farewell and took a bus for Ridgeway, Fort Erie, the Peace Bridge and Niagara Falls, and late that evening Mr. and Mrs. Roberts sailed for home, where they arrived safely at one o'clock next morning, highly pleased with their outing around the Niagara peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terrell and children returned home on August 3d, from their two weeks' vacation, during which they covered nearly one thousand five hundred miles. Judging by their motor trip they must have seen much of the world. They first made off for Oak Lake, near Stirling, in North Hastings, a resort that the late Mr. William Nurse often frequented. Here they met Mr. Nurse's son, Stanley, and family from Brantford. In the meantime they called on Mrs. William Hagen, of Kitchener, who was then holidaying with her parents in Foxboro. Later they went down to Belleville to see their Alma Mater and had the pleasure of meeting three old teachers—Prof. D. R. Coleman, Prof. Geo. F. Stewart and Mrs. S. C. Balis. Despite the weight of ninety winters, Mr. Coleman was keeping on fairly well. Leaving Belleville, they motored over to the famous Sand Banks at Picton. Here they met Mr. and Mrs. Hartley J. Head. The former now works at the Picton Union Cemetery. Both are real well. The Terrells also called on Mr. and Mrs. Brooks at Brighton. Mr. Thomas Dand boards with the Brooks, but works on the Highway. Next they visited Peterboro, where they met many of our deaf friends. Through Mr. Terrell, who is Superintendent of the Ontario Mission, a station will likely be opened in the "Lift Lock City" soon. Next they struck Chesley, Warton and Owen Sound. Returning they went to Guelph, where they hospitably received at the McQueen home. Off again, they went through Brantford, Hamilton to Welland, where they sojourned several days with relatives then finally returned home.

Boys race, 8 years and under—First, Mason McKenzie, Aurora; second, Jack Grooms, Toronto; third, Raymond Gleadow, Hamilton; fourth, John Sutherland, Dundas.

Girls race—8 years and under—Aureta Gleadow, Hamilton; second, Velma Goodall, Toronto; third, Norma Terrell, Toronto; fourth, Jean McCaul, Toronto.

Boys race, 12 years and under—First, Anival Shepherd, Toronto; second, Joffre Averall, Cooktown; third, Cecil Terrell, Toronto; fourth, Raymond Gleadow, Hamilton.

Girls race, 12 years and under—First, Doris Grooms, Toronto; second, Ruth Byrne, Toronto; third, Vina Pilon, Mimico; fourth, Florence Jaffray, Toronto.

Men's race—First, Ellwood McBrien, Peterboro; second, Oscar McPeake, Toronto; third, Fred Terrell, Toronto; fourth, Jack Stein, Toronto.

Married Ladies' race—First, Mrs. F. P. Rooney, Toronto; second, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Toronto; third, Mrs. A. Wilson, Toronto; fourth, Mrs. Jas. Grimes, Montreal.

Men's race, over 55 years—First, Andrew S. Waggoner, Hamilton; second, John Walton, Woodstock; third, George Wedderburn, Toronto; fourth, Charles A. Ryan, Woodstock.

Ladies race, over 50 years—First, Mrs. T. A. Middleton, Horning Mills; second, Mrs. Samuel Averall, Cooktown; third, Mrs. Henry Whealy, Toronto; fourth, Mrs. W. C. Mackay, Toronto.

Men's masculine vanity—First, T. H. Brown, Markdale; second, Oscar McPeake, Toronto; third, George Hunter, Toronto; fourth, John Buchan, Toronto.

Ladies' balloon blowing—First, Mrs. James Green, Chesley; second, Miss Sophia Fishbein, London; third, Miss Carolyn Buchan, Toronto; fourth, Miss N. Smith, Toronto.

Men's knee and stick race—First, Colin McLean, Toronto; second, E. Payne, Detroit; third, O. McPeake, Toronto; fourth, J. Crough, Walkerville.

Ladies peanut race—First, Miss C. Buchan, Toronto; second, Mrs. J. Grimes, Montreal; third, Miss L. Buchan, Walkerville; fourth, Miss Jean Wark, Wyoming.

Men's crab race—First, G. Rivet, Toronto; second, R. McKenzie, New Durham; third, C. McLean, Toronto; fourth, G. Hunter, Toronto.

Shampoo race—First, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crough, Walkerville; second, Miss H. Middleton, Niagara Falls; and H. W. Roberts, Toronto; third, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terrell, Toronto; fourth, M. Allen and J. Tate, of Toronto.

SPORT SPLASHES

The tug-of-war and girls' soft ball results will be given later.

The Shampoo race was a show in its laughing way, and drew a great crowd.

The judges had a hard time picking out the winners, but all were impartial.

LONDON LEAVES

While down here on their recent honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Beauthiaume, of Windsor, were the guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Noyes in Denfield, not far from this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fishbein and two sons were making calls on their deaf friends in St. Thomas on July 27th. They are popular among their friends down that way.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pincombe, of Lobo, report having a great time with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White in Strathroy lately. Miss Sophia Fishbein was also a guest of the White family on July 25th.

CONVENTION COMMENT

The convention sports, as they were reeled off on Monday afternoon, were very keenly contested. There were plenty of entires, in fact, all seemed to want a try for the tempting prizes.

Here is the summary of the events and prize winners:

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BORDER BREEZES

On August 3d, Mrs. W. Riberdy and Mrs. E. Ball, of Detroit, went out to Royal Oak to visit Mrs. John Berry and found Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, of Rochester, and Mrs. O. Ruby there also. Seeing them pass along, Mrs. H. B. Waters "squeezed in" to hear the Toronto convention news.

Mrs. Sloane, of Fostoria, Ohio, has returned home after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. William Riberdy in Detroit.

Mrs. Otto Buby, who is camping at Williams Lake was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown in Rochester, Mich., for a week lately, and during her visit her guests took her to Pontiac to see the Hardenberg family. They also took Mr. and Mrs. Buby to Brown City, on July 29th, to see Mr. Buby's aged mother and other relatives. His mother is eighty-two years old and enjoying the sunset of life sweetly and pleasantly.

A delightful bunch made up of the Ball, Berry, Sadow, Riberdy and other families motored out to Williams' Lake, on August 12th, and spent the day very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seigler at their cottage, which they are occupying till October.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Riberdy, with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ball, lately went for a long auto ride to Port Huron and Lake St. Clair and greatly enjoyed the outing.

WOODSTOCK WHISPERS

All the deaf of this city are well and steadily employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ryan left for their home at Weyburn, Sask., on

Providing we have ideal weather, our annual picnic at Springbank Park, on Labor Day promises to be a top notch catcher.

This city has a famous girls soft ball team, known as the "London Brownies," and is one of the best and fastest teams in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. W. Gustin accompanied by their son, William, his wife and children, motored down to Long Branch to visit their daughter, and sister, Mrs. S. E. Brock, also to attend the Toronto convention.

PRESTON PLEASURES

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel H. Bell, of Birch Cliffe, have returned home after a week's pleasant sojourn with Mrs. Ida C. Robertson at her beautiful park here.

Mrs. Ida C. Robertson and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel H. Bell, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Absalom Martin in Waterloo, on August 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor, of Hamilton, bivouacked at this beautiful town for a couple of weeks recently as guests of Mrs. Ida C. Robertson.

We regret to hear of the accident that befell little Hardie Williams, of Kitchener, while holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Nahrang near here.

Mrs. Ida C. Robertson and Mrs. Lionel H. Bell visited the former's relatives in Elmira, on August 2d, and the smiles they wore bespoke a good time.

While here visiting her, Mrs. Ida C. Robertson took Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Bell for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. Baillie and Mr. William Sutton in Simcoe and also to Port Dover, where they enjoyed Lake Erie's cooling breezes.

RAGLAN RANDOMS

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Ormiston were recently in Whitby, visiting Miss Edith Ballagh, and had a very pleasant time.

Mr. Nicholas Gura is away on a visit to his father and sister in Newmarket, N. Y., where he is spending a month, and says his having a swell time.

With their son, William, and Miss Carrie, motored out to Oshawa the other day where they called on Walter Quigley's parents and Mrs. John Flynn's children, whom they found very well on their farm at Burketon, to Lakeview Park to see crowds from Toronto, Whitby and Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stark are doing very well on their farm at Burketon, and have recovered their normal condition since the destruction of their home by a disastrous fire a few years ago. A brand modern home has risen from the ashes.

Mrs. Walter Bell has returned to her home in Oshawa, from her few weeks' sojourn at Bala, Muskoka.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

Mr. Victor Reading, late of Reddickville, is now working for Mr. and Mrs. David Lennox on their farm near Phelpsston, and is giving satisfaction.

A sister of Miss-Diannah Weiler, of Mildmay, and her husband motored out to Sarnia, on July 29th, where they boarded a steamer for Milwaukee, Wis., and from there motored to Decker, Wis., for a lengthy visit.

Miss Gladys Atkinson, of Paisley, was favored with a week's visit from Miss Luella Simmons, of Wroxeter, and the two visited Mr. and Mrs. John Buchan, Carl McKee and his mother at Tiverton, as well as in Owen Sound, in the meantime. Gladys took her home on August 4th, and while in Wroxeter, had the pleasure of meeting Miss Lena Doubledde. The home of Gladys' sister, Mrs. James Begg, with whom she stays, was struck by lightning, but not seriously damaged. Miss Atkins was in Walkerville, on July 19th, on business.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

RESERVED MARGRAF CLUB NOVEMBER 17, 1928
RESERVED FOR MANHATTAN DIVISION, NO. 87 SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1928.
RESERVED FOR DETROIT CHAPTER, M. A. D. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1928
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RESERVED FOR BROWNSVILLE SILENT CLUB DECEMBER 15, 1928. (PARTICULARS LATER)
RESERVED for Entertainment by the Building Fund Committee at St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes SATURDAY, JAN. 19, 1929.

SEATTLE

A record-breaking week of hot weather, at least for Eastern Washington and Oregon, broke up just in time for two perfect days for the third annual Portland-Seattle Halfway Picnic, which was held at Centralia, July 28th and 29th.

By Saturday night there were some 175 from the two States present at the Bost Park Community Hall, in which the evening's entertainment was pulled off, under the direction of General Chairman H. P. Nelson, of Portland. Dancing was followed by a beauty contest, in which Miss Melba Burke, of Spokane, now of Seattle, was judged the winner, although we suspect that President Coates, of Portland Division, "threw" the contest.

In the "beauty" contest for men, big Jim O'Leary, Spokane, was declared the handsomest man. Many think he would have easily carried off honors for the "homeliest" had such a contest been on the boards.

It was eminently a Seattle day in the sports contests. As a starter, both the Seattle horseshoe teams defeated those from Portland, and to decide the championship, W. S. Root and Frank Kelly beat A. W. Wright and Ed. Martin.

Sunday saw the record for attendance broken, the two hundred mark being passed.

In the evening the "Seattle Has-beens" said "No" to the "Portland comebacks" and emphasized it by a 4 to 3 score in one-inning indoor baseball game. In this all the players were supposed to be over forty-five years.

And Prof. Divine, of Vancouver electrified the crowd by catching a "terrific" line drive, which dashed Portland's hopes for a victory.

In the regular baseball game the younger Seattle boys, who were Oscar Sanders, Frank Kelly, LeRoy Bradbury, John Hagadorn, Jim Scanlon, Joe Kirschbaum, Holger Jensen, Ed. Martin and Frank Emerick, had all the luck on their side, and when they had run up a 16 to 1 score, the game was called in the sixth inning.

While resting after dinner, the free distribution of \$15 worth of prizes was made, which ranged from two-dollar boxes of candy down to five-cent bars, and every one not drawing a more valuable prize, at least got a Babe Ruth bar or package of peanuts.

Just before the distribution, Mayor Nugent, of Centralia, appeared on the grounds, and made a short speech of welcome, which was interpreted by Ralph Reichle, of Portland.

Ex-Mayor Barner also spent the afternoon greeting the many friends he made at the two previous picnics. Portland's one crowning glory was the tug-of-war, in which her heavies easily had Seattle off its feet, but a few minutes later the Seattle maids pulled the Portland flappers across the line to even up.

Other minor contests were held, but quite a list was dropped as an airplane in the airport adjoining the park, was doing a "whirling" business among the deaf, who all flocked around the machine to see their friends take the air. All can testify their hearing was not benefitted the least bit. The air passengers, as far as we could obtain their names, were Misses Bertha Stowe, Alga Ohlms, Lailah Freese, Marie Coic and Mrs. A. W. Wright, and Messrs. Wirth, Gumaer, Lois Palmer, Emil Roth, Jim Scanlon and Sam Abrahamson.

Mindful of the heavy Sunday traffic in the late evening hours, those living farthest away began the homeward trek at about five o'clock. So far as we know, no accidents marred the trip of the some forty cars driven by the deaf.

Oregon had a slight edge over Washington in point of attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Lynch and the Hans Christensen family, of Salem, came the longest distance by auto, 160 miles, while Jim O'Leary came by train from Spokane, some 300 miles, expressly to attend the picnic. There were tourist visitors from Los Angeles and Omaha, and they were Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Oscar Treuke.

The appearance of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Gaertner was a great pleasure to the Centralia crowd. The minister drew a prize of one of the two big boxes of chocolates. Joe Kirschbaum, of Seattle, won the other one.

Miss Frances Hart, young and pretty niece of Mrs. W. S. Root, and Ralph Reichle, received prizes as the best dancers in the evening's entertainment at the Halfway picnic.

J. O. Reichle passed out straw ballots and the vote was sixty in favor of Hoover for President to forty-three for Smith.

Prof. and Mrs. L. A. Divine, daughter Hope and her cousin, took a trip in their Buick to Lake Crater, Ore., recently. The Divines' description of the lake was unusually interesting. Mr. Divine says that the scientists are puzzled over it and the artists cannot describe the beauty.

The Divines were expecting an old friend, Miss Zell, a teacher of the Ohio school, whom they plan to take to the volcanic lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Root entertained twenty of their friends at their "new," home the evening of August 2d, in honor of Mrs. Ringuette and Miss Anderson, of Grant's Pass, Ore. Those ladies were old schoolmates of Mrs. W. S. Root in North Dakota. Mrs. Root took them to Woodland Park, had them for dinner and overnight. They attended the Centralia picnic and came to Seattle by train to visit Mrs. Ringuette's people. The last named lady used to live in Seattle for a year, when she was Miss Effie Smith. Her hearing husband runs his own grocery store and a garage, with space for storage.

Miss Anderson was the girls' supervisor at the North Dakota school for several years when Miss Alice Wilberg, of Portland, was a little girl. Two years ago, she moved to Grant's Pass to live with Mrs. Ringuette and work at a large hotel. They are returning home today.

Mrs. Kautz and Miss Ethel Morton, of Portland, and Mrs. Treuke, of Omaha, Neb., and the little Kautz daughter, the one-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claire Reeves, were also present at the Root party. The ladies were making a short auto tour of this section. Mrs. Treuke, of the Nebraska school, under her teacher, Prof. F. A. Mokko, a graduate of the Oregon school under her teacher Prof. T. A. Lindstrom. She visited her old home in Astoria, Ore. At present she is the week-end guest of Mrs. Emerick in Aberdeen, her old classmate.

Lawrence Belser was compelled to return to the Swedish Hospital this week and it is hoped he will improve. He has been in ill health the past three months. His mother has returned to her work in Wenatchee. The young Mrs. Belser has a housekeeper to look after her two children of five and seven years old, while she goes out to paint pictures for Jacob's Photo Studio and Illustrated Adv. Co. in oil and water color. She is a smart lady, finding employment herself.

The seventy-nine-year old father of True Partridge died two weeks ago, at a private home for old people. He had been helpless for some time.

Mrs. N. C. Garrison and her two children returned to her home in Camano, after three weeks' visit with her people in Port Angeles. She stopped a week here with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Waugh accompanied their daughter and son-in-law to the Olympic Mountains and the coast this week. We may have something to say about their trip in our next letter. A month ago they visited Auntie Pauline Gustin in Arlington, where she is spending her vacation with her old friends, the Brazletons.

Sunday before the Halfway picnic event, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Haire took Mrs. Emily Eaton, Mrs. Barbara Wildfang and Miss Esther Bloomquist to Arlington for dinner and a good visit with Mrs. Gustin and Mr. and Mrs. Brazleton.

The Wrights have traded their Studebaker phaeton for a new 1928 Studebaker Dictator sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Jacobs, of Berkeley, Cal., with their two sons, motored up for a few days' visit with a sister in Seattle and a tour in the Puget Sound section.

The marriage of Miss Helen Smith, of Mt. Vernon, and Everett Hollenbeck, of Anacortes, is announced.

The mother of Mrs. John Adams, of Renton, and Roy Harris, Seattle, died today in a private hospital. She had been in for a long time with cancer.

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"He's true to God who's true to man;
Whenever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

MORE than one of our correspondents have endeavored to discuss "sectionalism" in connection with the formation of an association of the deaf of the South. As President Coolidge said at the unveiling of a monument to a Civil War hero: "The day of sectionalism is passed. * * * We are a united nation."

Associations designed to cooperate with State organizations, or the National Association, are all right. But we have consistently opposed any organization formed for the purpose of antagonizing others working for the benefit or welfare of the deaf.

The deaf are comparatively few. They are as one to one thousand five hundred of the general population. They have interests in no wise different from ordinary people. Only their condition of deafness begets obstacles that are not encountered by any other class of people. It is for this reason only that organizations of the deaf exist. Their business and social welfare demand that organizations be established to combat misunderstanding concerning their abilities to be useful and capable in occupations that redound to the common good. Their conventions set forth the accomplishments of the deaf and show to the public that they succeed despite their lifelong handicap—for surely they are a handicapped class, made more so by the skepticism of normal people. They are confronted with problems begotten of ignorance of their real condition as compared with the hearing people.

Therefore they must stick together and avoid all that is antagonistic to the well-being of the majority.

The JOURNAL is for the deaf, and will always decline to "ballyhoo" the personal ambitions of a few short-sighted and disgruntled individuals.

INFORMATION has just reached us that the youngest sister of Miss Katherine Gallaudet was killed in an automobile accident in California, during the latter part of April of this year. Miss Katherine Gallaudet, who is the daughter of the late Edward Miner Gallaudet, founder of the College for the Deaf at Washington, has just returned from a brief sojourn in England and France. The students of Gallaudet College of a few years ago will no doubt remember the lady, whose tragic death by accident in California has once again reduced the family that was brought up on Kendall Green, and will sympathize with Miss Katherine that she has been robbed of a loving sister by the impartial hand of death.

In three lines Lillian Friedman tells the readers of the *Daily News* that she is a deaf-mute and therefore disappointed at "talking pictures." From the point of view of a deaf person, movies devoid of printed explanatory sentences are like the legitimate drama.

EIGHTH BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF.

The Eighth Biennial Convention of the South Carolina Association of the Deaf, was held in Charleston, S. C., on July 26th to 29th. It was a gathering of intelligent and successful deaf people. This association stands high among its sister associations and exerts a great influence in the world.

An excellent program, which had been arranged, was carried out to the smallest detail. Several prominent educators were on it, and some splendid papers were read.

Entertainments of various kinds, which were arranged by Miss C. Belle Rogers, were greatly enjoyed by the people attending the convention.

Echoes are still being heard from the convention. Certainly, it cost something to entertain the people in the whole-hearted hospitable manner, but if the people of the South could hear about the convention, they would consider themselves well repaid.

It is true that there have been conventions at which the attendance has been larger, but the program and social feature was on a scale unsurpassed by any former convention, so old convention goers say. The convention was marked by perfect harmony throughout its proceedings and also was a working body from start to finish.

Mr. J. Vernal Glover, of Greenville, S. C., who was president of the Association, presided over the meetings in the most dignified and pleasing manner.

PROGRAM

Business Session

THURSDAY MORNING—9 O'CLOCK

Invocation

Addresses of Welcome; City of Charleston—Mayor Thomas P. Stoney; The Deaf of Charleston—Miss C. Belle Rogers.

Response—J. Vernal Glover.

Address—Dr. W. Laurens Walker.

Appreciation—Song—Miss Sarah Shokes.

Announcements.

Recitation—"The Homespun Dress"—Miss Lillian Glover.

Adjournment

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—2 O'CLOCK

Invocation

Roll Call

Address—President J. V. Glover.

Reading of the minutes of the 1926 meeting.

Report of the Treasurer.

Appointment of Committees.

Paper—"Biograph of Dr. N. F. Walker"—Miss T. E. Gaillard.

Recitation—Miss Annie Smoak.

Adjournment

FRIDAY MORNING—9 O'CLOCK

Invocation

Reading of Thursday Proceedings.

Unfinished Business.

Address—Dr. J. A. Tillinghast.

Paper—"Northwest Doing"—Herbert R. Smoak.

Discussion.

Reports of Committees.

New Business.

Announcements.

Recitation—"The Boys Are There"—Miss Willie Fant.

Adjournment

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—2 O'CLOCK

Invocation

Unfinished Business.

Remarks on the N. F. S. D. and Columbia Division, No. 93—Frank Smoak.

New Business.

Selection of Place and Date of Next Convention.

Election of Officers.

Report of Committee on Resolutions.

Solo—"We Meet Again"—Miss C. Belle Rogers.

Adjournment *sine die* with Benediction.

ENTERTAINMENTS

Thursday Evening—Movies at the Gloria.

Thursday Night—Reception at Citadel Square Baptist Church. Refreshments by "Be Not Weary" Circle of King's Daughters.

Wednesday Evening—Auto Sight-Seeing, by Club Men.

Wednesday Night—Banquet at Hucks' Banquet Hall, Society Street.

Saturday—All-Day Outing: About 8 till 12 A.M. Free Trip to Folly Beach, entertained by the Elks at their Club House and Bath House (Bring bathing suits, if want to swim.) Ice Cream and Cake served at Folly Beach by Ashley Ice-Cream Co., and Puckhauber, the National Biscuit Co. At 12:30 P.M., the Elks will leave us at the Custom House. 2 to 4:30 P.M. Boat Ride, entertained by Admiral McCully. Land at Ft. Moultrie to visit the Old Fort at 5 o'clock. About 5:30 P.M. Busses take us to Isle of Palms. 5:30 to 9:20 P.M. Swim, Movies, Dancing, etc. Lunch at 7 o'clock. Busses take us to Mt. Pleasant Ferry at 10 P.M. Ferry to Charleston at 10:15.

The Association closed its session by electing the following officers: Miss C. Belle Rogers, of the South Carolina School for the Deaf, President; Herbert R. Smoak, of Union, S. C., Secretary; and H. R. Glover, of Columbia, S. C., Treasurer.

The next meeting of the Association will be held in Greenville, S. C. Rev. A. C. Miller, Jr., of Shelby, N. C., conducted services Sunday morning.

Miss C. Belle Rogers and Mr. Patterson, of Charleston, S. C., a hearing lawyer, deserve much credit for the success of the convention, and all the favorable comment that is being made in this convention. The convention will long be remembered by those who had the good fortune to attend.

Charleston, metropolis of the Carolinas, has been described as "the city of a thousand charms." From its long and eventful past have come down to the twentieth century a priceless wealth of architecture, quaint streets, paintings, statues, military relics and landmarks, which epitomize the history of America from Colonial days up to the period that ended with the conclusion of the War between the States. The lure and fascination of Charleston draw thousands of visitors to this historic seaport.

ROBERT C. MILLER.

Eastern Iowa

There was a picnic held at the Long View Park at Rock Island, Ill., last June 17th. Between 75 and 100 deaf-mutes attended and a ball game between locals and visitors was played and the locals won. All enjoyed themselves well.

Mr. David Gildersleeve has quit farm life, after six years' experience and now lives in Geneseo, Ill. He now goes twenty-five miles to and from work. He works at the Rock Island Sash & Door Co., at Rock Island, Ill. His wife and daughter stays home and has a nice garden.

Mr. Hugh Mathews, of St. Paul, Minn., was in Davenport, Ia., visiting with his friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cronk. He tried to land a job, while visiting here with no success. So he recently left for Rockford, Ill., to visit other friends, on the way to St. Paul, Minn.

The mutes at Cedar Rapids, Ia., had a picnic on July 4th, and a good attendance was present, in spite of showers. Two autos of picnickers went there from Rock Island, Ill. All that attended had an enjoyable time.

There are sixteen or eighteen deaf-mutes living in and around Kewanee, Ill. Seven or eight of them own and operate a car. Ed. Martin is the only mute that has two Ford sedans. He uses one for work and the other for pleasure purposes.

Mr. J. E. Conrady has a steady job at Kewanee, Ill. He works as a nickel-plater at the Boss Manufacturing Co.

Deaf-mutes wishing to come to Davenport, Ia., to look for a job, are advised not to come, because work is so hard to find. It is better to wait till fall.

Rev. H. S. Rutherford, of Chicago, is having vacation this month. He is spending his vacation days, at the Delavan Lake at Delavan, Wis. He will be back on his preaching tour as usual among the deaf-mutes next month, and will also attend the Illinois Convention at Peoria, Ill., August 8th to 11th.

There are four deaf-mutes working at the Wheel Works Co. at Davenport, Ia., and three are working at the Rock Island Sash & Door Works at Rock Island, Ill. Their work is just pretty steady.

Mr. Frank Hemmelder, of Dubuque, Ia., was here to attend the picnic, June 17th last, and then he staid in Davenport, Ia., for three weeks, at Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Osterberg's home, to take treatment for varicose veins and ulcer on one leg. He recently left for his home and feels like he is using a new leg.

Mrs. Wm. H. Morris, of Hampton, Ill., visited her relatives near Freeport, and friends at Chicago and other places for a few weeks. She returned home recently and feels satisfied with her vacation visits.

Geo. Reimer, of Dubuque, Ia., was in Davenport, Ia., looking for a job at any factory, but found work was slackening up at present, so he went home. Sorry he could not find a job, but hope his luck will come before long.

The Tri-City Chapter had its meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts, on July 21st. It was re-organized. The officers elected are: Mr. W. A. Nelson, President; Mr. Roscoe Bradley, Vice-President; Mr. Chas. E. Loughran, Secretary; and O. T. Osterberg, Treasurer. Light refreshment was served before departure for home. Next meeting will be held August 18th, at Mr. and Mrs. Art C. Johnson's home.

Last August 4th, O. T. Osterberg and family, and Mrs. Gottlieb Willey, of Davenport, Ia., motored seventy-five miles to Dubuque, Ia., to attend the picnic the following day. It was a rainy day and they had to take a twenty or twenty-five miles detour. His car got stuck a few miles before entering Dubuque, and a man kindly came with a tractor and got the car out for nothing but thanks. Returning home was on all-paved roads in the Illinois side of the Mississippi River.

BOSTON

There is such terrific heat out here, so many of the deaf are out of town that it is very difficult to gather a satisfactory supply of news. Yet any day, including Sundays, you may find groups of deaf in any of the bathing resorts—City Point, the most popular everyday beach, Revere, New England's playground, and Nantasket—are as popular.

We have with us in Boston a Mrs. Grossman, Mrs. Elizabeth Lincoln and Mrs. Oscar A. Davis, all of New York. Mrs. Grossman intends to return to New York within a few days, but Mesdames Lincoln and Davis will be on Broadway after Labor Day. Their slogan seems to be, "Gimme little old New York any day, anytime."

On July 22d, the members and officers of the Boston Hebrew Association were guests of Mrs. Joseph Levy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller, of New York, at a delicious "weenie roast." She has a beautiful cottage in Clifton Heights, entirely surrounded by water and her home is perched on a huge cliff, a beautiful and delightful surrounding.

There were bathing for those who cared for that sort of sport, while on the porches, the boys had their game of poker. For dinner, there were weenies, hamburger, pickles, chips (potatoes and onion), the punch was made with a "kick"—and a good time was had by all. Boston has in Mrs. Levy a charming and gracious friend, and New York should be equally proud of her, as their native product.

At "Mothers' Rest," on the 29th, the N. E. diocese of the Episcopal Mission gave "gratis" a general house warming to all present. Rev. Mr. Light gave a sermon in the morning, and again, a bible lesson in the afternoon. The day was beautiful and saw a large gathering of deaf there. There was swimming, as Mothers' Rest is situated on the Revere Beach boulevard. There were also many out-of-town visitors; Ernest Sargent and his wife came with a party from Springfield, in a car driven by Mr. Max Dramin, also of Springfield. There were also visitors from Providence, Hartford and Worcester. These housewarmings are given regularly once a year to the deaf.

On August 1st, the J. and L. Sandwich Shoppe, opened up for business, under the management of Louis H. Snyder and Joseph Weinberg. They have a wonderful location in the middle of the city's shoe factories, and at noon-time, their little shop is just crowded. It is like a dairy lunch room, painted white with black tiles and very becoming. On the opening day, a crowd gathered to pay homage to the boys and wish them good luck. They received floral offerings from the greater deaf societies, the largest, from the Massachusetts Benevolent Association, of which both have been members for ten years.

Word has been received from Mr. Peter E. Donahue, that he is now in "Oak Bluffs" for a much needed rest. Only a month ago, he was in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. They have a Hudson sedan, and their boy drives them most of the way.

The Massachusetts Benevolent Association held their social and dance at Jacqueminot Bungalow, on August 11th. Chairman Rosenstein had assured everyone of a good time, so a hundred deaf came to get it. There was dancing, but as it was too hot, they all descended to the playground, where Mr. Arthur Doherty showed us as difficult a game as imaginable; one shown to him by his cousin, Donald Keith of movie fame. This game was won by only one, Mrs. M. Miller.

Prizes were awarded to Miss Eva Weiss and Aaron Kravitz, for the best sport tags. The prizes were to each a Moore's fountain pen and pencil. The waltz contest was won by Miss Catherine Doren and Mr. Chester W. Heeger.

Aaron Kravitz has been doing a great deal of traveling in the past, and he informs me that there is still more to come. He leaves Saturday for Providence to attend the Providence, Division No. 43, dance and outing, and on August 31st, he leaves for Portland, Maine. His companions will be Rev. Mr. Light and Mr. Chester W. Heeger.

There are many parties planning to attend the Seventy-fifth Anniversary Convention of the New England Gallaudet Association of the Deaf, at Portland, Maine. The "Calvin Austin" leaves Atlantic Avenue, pier at 7:00 P.M., on August 31st.

The program is as follows: Saturday, September 1st—Business Sessions immediately after the closing of the Maine Mission at about 3 P.M. Saturday evening at 7:30 P.M.—Ball in the Gym Hall, for the benefit of the New England Home for the Deaf, Danvers, Mass. Donations, 50 cents. Sunday, September 2d, Religious services at 11 A.M.

Afternoon at 1:30—a fine steamer ride around Casco Bay, returning at 4:40 P.M. Steamer leaves Custom House Wharf at the foot of Pearl St. Evening at 7:30. At the Maine School for the Deaf, 85 Spring Street, in the Gym Hall, Seventy-fifth celebration of the N. E. G. A.

Monday, September 3d—Will be devoted to an outing. See Maine Mission program, if you attend.

Officers of the N. E. G. A., President, Allen B. Meacham, Massachusetts; Vice-President, Arno Klop-

fer, Massachusetts; Secretary, J. Stanley Light, Massachusetts; Treasurer, Harry V. Jarvis, Connecticut.

Local committee of arrangements—W. A. Kimball, 85 Spring Street, Portland.

Chairman Harold E. Libby, Keith Leighton, aids

Headquarters, Hotel Graymore, 23 Preble Street, Portland.

Come one, come all, make this one of the biggest conventions ever had by the N. E. G. A. Prices are very reasonable; round trip, five dollars, and you can get a berth for \$1.50 up. At the Hotel Graymore you can get a room with bath for only \$2.50.

Write to W. A. Kimball for further information. KITTY KAT.

CALIFORNIA

A ZEPHYR AND A THREATENED STORM

Fete Champetre is French, difficult to translate, faintly meaning Sylvan festival; neither a picnic nor a Bacchalian orgy. This original something the like of which never before happened in California, took place at the charming ranch of the Terrys near Reseda last Sunday evening.

The lawn, garlanded with lighted colorful Japanese lanterns, was strewn with a gay company of invited guests indulging in a bounteous repast provided by their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Terry, mostly products of their agricultural industry, consisting of tasty chicken fricasse, fruit salads, rolls and coffee, complete with luscious watermelons.

Satiated to the full, the convives romped and teased each other uproariously, like school children just out of school, without restraint, but with perfect innocence.

Among those invited were: Mrs. Price, Mrs. Camp, of Council Bluffs, and her son, Lieutenant Camp, Dr. and Mrs. J. Schuyler Long, of Council Bluffs; Miss Roper, of St. Louis; Mrs. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Worswick, Mr. and Mrs. Buress, Mr. and Mrs. McMann, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. Seely, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Hultene, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Miss McGowan, Miss Madeline Spranger, Mr. Scribner, Mr. McClancy and Mr. A. V. Ballin.

The only regret the hosts had was that they did not have accommodations to invite more guests. This fete champetre will be cherished as one of the most delicious memories by all the fortunate elected.

Alas, I have to chronicle a little thunderstorm, which is brewing, threatening law suits, bitter feelings and final rupture of the great Los Angeles Silent Club; and caused by misunderstanding by half of its members, fostered by the personal prejudices of a few mischievous leaders of a small faction. As it is quite likely that erroneous versions of the trouble will spread, I deem it wise to set the facts before the public, so that the good reputation of the Terrys should be protected. I shall endeavor to explain the whole situation in a few words, with the hope that a clear understanding will conduce to the restoration of complete harmony and peace.

About eight years ago there emerged out of utter obscurity a lovely elderly English deaf man, named Charles Poole. He could not talk fluently, knowing only the double handed alphabet. In his quiet, poorly attired appearance, his true worth was not noticed, and he was neglected by his fellows until he met the Terrys, who alone befriended him, as they always did—and still doing now. Mr. Poole became attached to them, and confided to them all his private affairs, asking their advice, etc. Shortly before his death he made his will, appointing Mrs. Terry as the sole executor. Among many documents and letters besides the will, he expressed his desire to, let Mrs. Terry use her own judgment in every case in place of anything he wanted but incapable of accomplishment.

Some time after his death, Mrs. Terry donated, according to his will, \$250 to the L. A. S. C. for the purpose of purchasing a club house for its use as such. The club had at that time, about seven years ago, the intention of building a club house, and established a "Building Fund." Years rolled and the club since then changed plans, abandoning the idea of building the house and making different arrangements, without the knowledge or consent of Mrs. Terry. Under these circumstances it is not only right, but a bounden duty for her, as an executor, to call back the gift and to put it to different purpose, as willed by Mr. Poole. As things stand now, the club is not entitled to the gift; and to hold on to it is not only illegal, but also highly dishonorable. This condition is not fully appreciated or understood by a majority of the club members; but I am perfectly confident that they will do the right thing as soon as they see things in the right light. They are at bottom too honorable to do otherwise.

MUTE GIRL CITY'S BEAUTY

BRAVER FALLS, PA., Aug. 15.—Although a deaf mute, Miss Lois Butler, a Titian-haired girl of Ellwood City, has been acclaimed "Miss Beaver Falls" in a beauty contest here and will represent the city at Conneaut Lake.—N. Y. World.

CHICAGO

The writer did not attend a convention held by the Illinois Association of the Deaf at Peoria, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Meagher were there and got all details to send to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Wm. Föcken on the loss of his sister, who died August 10th, following an operation.

Mrs. R. Danks and daughter returned home to Connecticut, August 11th, after their visit with her deaf brother.

A number of the deaf Chicagoans went Sunday, August 12th, to Milwaukee, Wis., to attend a picnic given by the Milwaukee Division of the N. F. S. D.

Wm. Pearce took advantage of one week's vacation to go Saturday, August 11th, to Canada, with his daughter, Mrs. Michaelson, by auto, to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Thomas.

Alfred Arnot is said to have been called to South Bend, Ind., this week, by the serious illness of his deaf father.

C. Morris went this week to Barrington, Wis., with his friends, who came here to visit his sister. He is enjoying a pleasant sojourn for two months. He retired a few years ago from the Fairbanks Scale Company on a pension, after his service of thirty-five years.

Paul Lange, a teacher at the Wisconsin School for the Deaf, passed through Chicago last week, on his way to Evansville, Ind., to visit his relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. Harvey Lowe, teacher at the Wisconsin School for the Deaf for many years, has been appointed principal of the High School department, she is well known in Delavan.

The Automatic Telephone Company closed its factory from August 4th to 20th, giving its employees a two-week vacation, including fifteen deaf workers, who took advantage of this opportunity to enjoy themselves.

Elmer Wilson, a compositor, who was thrown out-of-work by the destruction of a printing house by fire in July, went this week to Milwaukee, Wis., to live with his sister till recalled to work by his firm.

A large number of deaf people attended an outing held by the Hebrew deaf club at Desplaines, Ill., Sunday, August 12th. Trucks full of passengers left Adams Street and Wabash Avenue at 9:30 A.M., for the outing. The committee made the occasion pleasant for those to enjoy the pastimes and games.

Father Francis Senn, pastor of the Catholic Deaf, will be transferred to St. Louis Sunday, August 19th, after his service of five and a half years. A farewell party will be given, at the Ephpheta Club house, Thursday, August 16th, in honor of the pastor's departure. Father Joseph O'Brien, of St. Louis, will come next week to take charge of the church as pastor.

Wm. A. Calkins, a former pupil of the Wisconsin School for the Deaf, came here from North Tonawanda, N. Y., where he resides, for two weeks' visit, after which he will go to Wisconsin, to visit the scenes of his boyhood, and then return to attend a Home fund picnic Labor Day, September 3d, while on his way back to his home to Buffalo.

Those who attended the convention at Peoria, Ill., last week, from Chicago, were:—The J. F. Meaghers, E. E. Carlsons, G. F. Flicks, B. F. Franks, F. P. Gibsons, Fred V. Hyman, P. J. Hasenstab, H. S. Rutherford, J. K. Watson, A. L. Roberts, Mrs. Thomas Gray, Mrs. E. Horn, Mrs. C. E. Sharpnack, Mrs. Gus Hyman, Miss Tappan, Miss Flynn and Miss C. Hyman.

Mrs. Guy Hoagland returned from a one week trip to Indiana last July. During her absence, her husband, who looked after his house, took advantage of the close of the Automatic Telephone Factory by going to Madison, Ind., for a visit with his folks, leaving his wife in charge of the house.

Rev. P. Hasenstab, while at the convention in Peoria, Ill., received a call over a long distance telephone to come to South Bend, Indiana, and conduct the funeral service for W. Huggart, aged eighty-seven, father of Lottie Huggart, Saturday, August 11th. After that the pastor returned here on his way back to Lake Delavan, where his family is enjoying a pleasant sojourn. He reappeared at the M. E. Mission, while Wm. Zollinger was preaching, Sunday, August 12th. At the close of the service, Rev. Hasenstab went up to the platform and gave an interesting talk of what he had seen at the convention, and told of the funeral of Mr. Huggart.

Sunday, August 12th, was the special feast day of Catholic deaf. All Catholic deaf-mutes were cordially invited to be present at the chapel at the Ephpheta Club House at 8:30 A.M., and received holy communion at the holy mass, after which, they went down to the dining room for breakfast. After eating, they passed a pleasant forenoon in social conversation. Then they attended a lawn party, held at Chas. Yanzito's house, and diverted themselves in games and other pastimes. Admission of twenty-five cents a person was charged, for the benefit of the building fund. The affair was managed by Mrs. Brill as chairlady.

Mrs. William Hoffman, who came here from California last week to spend three months, received a telegram from her husband, saying that Mrs. Sidney

W. King, formerly Miss Emma Macy, a member of the class of 1880 of the Indiana school, passed away in Lindsay, Cal., on August 11th, and her remains were buried on the 13th. She had taught in the St. Louis and Evansville, Ind., day schools for a number of years and then in the Arkansas school for thirty-four years. Altogether she had been a faithful teacher of the deaf for forty-four years. She is survived by her husband, who has recently undergone a successful operation.

The body of James Gerry, who sank to his death in the waters of Round Lake, Sunday, August 5th, as reported in the last JOURNAL, was recovered and removed to Strang's undertaking room, where an inquest was held by Dr. Taylor. A verdict of death by drowning was returned. The body was brought to Chicago Thursday, August 9th, for burial. He was educated at the Ephpheta School for Catholic children. It is said that before drowning, James suffered cramps on the two different occasions, while swimming in the Chicago pool. He was warned by an instructor not to enter the water again, but he failed to heed the warning, so he went out of this city in company with two other deaf-mutes, with the above result.

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OMAHA

Messrs. and Mesdames Chowins and Burlew motored to Humeston, Iowa, to visit an aged uncle of the ladies. They had never met him before. He is 84, an old soldier, living on an ample pension.

The Chowins and Mrs. Burlew visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillespie at Pierce, Neb. They were well and nicely fixed in a home of their own.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cameron and daughter, Betty, are summering in Nebraska City with Mrs. Cameron's mother.

Robert Mullin was taken to a local hospital suffering from an ulcer in the stomach. We hope he is better now as he has a good constitution.

Mrs. J. R. Jelinek went to Madison, Neb., to spend her vacation with Mr. Jelinek, who has been visiting with his folks. They will return about August 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Buell and baby are living at Ralston, near Omaha, with relatives. Mrs. Buell's sister and family, the Fred Woodworths, are also visiting there for a month. Mr. Buell expects to get a position soon and locate here permanently.

"Dummy" Taylor motored to St. Louis to visit his old cronies, McGraw and Bresnahan, with the New York Giants, playing against the Cardinals. It is quite an experience for Taylor, who has not seen his friends for sixteen years.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Long visited Mrs. Long's relatives at Oskaloosa, Iowa. The Longs also entertained several of the folks who came in cars.

Mrs. Scott Cusaden and children spent part of the summer with her parents at Ong, Nebraska.

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NEW YORK

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

BROOKLYN FRATS' OUTING

The Picnic and Games of the Brooklyn Division, No. 23, N.F.S. D. which was held last Saturday afternoon and evening, August 18th, at Ulmer Park Athletic Field, Brooklyn, N. Y., records another big success for attendance at summer outings, given by the deaf for the enjoyment of the deaf.

The day began with rain, and continued until about noon, when it cleared, thus from what looked like gloom, turned into sunshine, and gladdened the hearts of the Brooklyn Frats, who expected to have a still larger attendance than last year, when 1100 was the record number, and they did. The actual attendance was 1313.

The JOURNAL scribe was on hand at an early hour. Only a few were there, but after three o'clock they began to come in steadily; some in their private cars; some by taxi-cabs; some by trolley; some from Coney Island, where they made acquaintance with Father Neptune, and afterwards took in the many attractions the greatest amusement resort in the world.

Of course the greatest number came from Brooklyn and Manhattan, New York City, but there was present many from distant places, and were your scribe to jot down half these patrons of Brooklyn Frats, I confess that I couldn't do it.

There were so many. The exact number for the day and evening must have surpassed last year's attendance, for at 8:30, when with a party we left the grounds, there already had entered the gate 970, and they were still coming in every minute.

The games began at 4:30 p.m., with Louis Baker and Edward Kerwin in charge. Wm. Schurman, the third member was absent on account of sickness.

The officials of the day were: Starter, Lester Cahill; Judges at Finish, Anthony Ponte, Irving Epstein and Max Lubin; Time keeper, James Garrick; Clerk of Course, Anthony Capelle.

EVENTS AND PRIZE WINNERS.

100 yards (Men)—Won by Louis Rosensweet, \$2.50; second, Geo. I. Harris, \$1.50. Winner's time 10 s.

25 yards (handicap) Boys—Won by Robert Kurtz, 50 cents; second, Arnold Blumenthal, 25 cents. Winner's time 7 s.

25 yards (handicap) Girls—Won by Doris Rathheim, 50 cents; second, Jeannette Lewis, 25 cents. Winner's time 8 s.

50 yards (Ladies)—Won by Esther Albertini, \$1.00; second Mary Kirby, 50 cents. Winner's time 8 s.

440 yards run (Men)—Won by J. Kostyk, \$2.50; second, George I. Harris, \$1.50. Winner's time 57 s.

Rope Skipping (Endurance)—Won by Marian Berger, \$1.00.

Ball Throwing (Boys)—Won by Ben Schwartz, 50 cents.

Ball Throwing (Girls)—Won by Marian Berger, \$1.00.

One Mile Relay (Three teams entered) Won by the Margraf team, \$5.00; second, the "57" Club, \$3.00. Winner's time 4 m., 10 s.

The Margraf Club's team were: Kostyk, Rosensweet, Carroll and Forman. The team of the "57" Club were: P. Blend, N. Cairano, G. I. Harris and Frank Heintz.

One Mile Run (Men)—Won by F. Heintz, \$2.60; second, L. Albertini, \$1.50. Winner's time 4 m., 20 s.

The Committee of Arrangements were kept busy all afternoon and evening. Irving Blumenthal, the chairman was every where directing; Jack Seltzer, the vice-chairman and secretary was also kept very busy assisting at the games and in various other ways; Jacob Landau was in the cage at the entrance of the park, selling admission tickets; Edward Baum and Joseph Zeiss took turns in receiving tickets, and incidentally greeted all who came in.

In the evening most hied to the enclosed pavilion, where an orchestra rendered good dance music. This was kept up till early on Sunday, and it seemed that the dancers did not tire themselves out although it was very warm.

The scribe has been at Ulmer Park Athletic Field many times in the past, but never before did he see the pavilion floor so jammed as on this occasion, besides there were hundreds who chose to enjoy the fresh breeze that came from Coney Island.

Like last year, no tickets were issued for last Saturday's picnic of the Brooklyn Division, thus it again demonstrates the fact that it pay to advertise in the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL.

In the evening there was a dancing contest for cash prizes. Mr. Nat Morrell and Mrs. Goldie Hettler won first prize, \$5.00; Mr. Ben. Shafranek and Miss Florence McNamara, second prize, \$3.00.

The judges of the dancing contest were: Mrs. Irving Blumenthal, Mr. Nick Cairano and Mr. Soweck, of Peekskill, N. Y.

Perhaps the best outing after the Brooklyn affair at Ulmer Park, was a visit to Coney Island, where many availed themselves, especially those from out of town. Here one can feast from a "hot dog" to a \$3.00 shore dinner, see the many shows for which Coney Island is famous. There are many ways to return to Manhattan—trolley lines, subways, "L" routes and also by motor-buses. The bus fare to Harlem is only 50 cents, whereas only a few years ago it was \$1.50.

Will parents of Jeanette Lewis (a small girl) send her address to Irving Blumenthal, 262 Montauk Avenue, Brooklyn. There is a prize for her.

XAVIER EPIPHETA SOCIETY CELEBRATES

The celebration of Epipheta Sunday by the Xavier Epipheta Society was an eventful occasion for hundreds of the members and friends of this Catholic organization throughout the city, on August 12th. And right here be it said, the celebration was only a repetition of that held in other cities, where the Feast Day of the deaf, as the 11th Sunday after Pentecost has come to be known, was being observed.

Beginning with mass and communion at nine o'clock in the Alumni Chapel of St. Francis Xavier's College, the day opened most auspiciously. That widely-heralded tail-end of a Florida hurricane scheduled to arrive in these parts failed to mar the attendance. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. Michael Purtell, S.J., who has been appointed to succeed Rev. John A. Egan, S.J., as director of the society. Father Egan takes the former's place as director of the Loyola Epipheta Society of Baltimore, Md.

A beautiful sermon on the oft-told incident in the life of Our Lord of the miracle of the curing of the deaf-mute, signalized Father Purtell's first mass among his silent parishioners in this city. A large number received communion, and many others, from distant points, had availed of the privilege at their respective parish churches before coming to Sixteenth Street.

After breakfast, the Epipheta joined the overflow outside old St. Francis Xavier's. Five big touring buses were in waiting. Into these piled the crowd. Residents in the neighborhood took in the animated screen treat from their windows with smiles on their faces, wondering why there was so little noise, as the hands, fingers and arms of the assembled group did all sorts of air-thrilling stunts.

The destination was the much-touted two-million dollar Playland at Rye, N. Y. Here the celebrators were augmented by hundreds of other Epiphetas and deaf friends from round about Hartford and other Nutmeg State towns.

It was a great day well begun, for the silent fold, and as the newly installed Rev. Director, Father Purtell, said during the lull in the "Good-byes" he was receiving from the out-of-town contingent who had come to see the Xavier Epiphetas off, "The end of a perfect Day."

The committee, headed by Julius F. Kieckers, as chairman, were: Joseph Dennen, Miss A. Ryan, J. F. O'Brien, Mrs. O'Grady, Mrs. J. Flannery, Paul Murtagh, Mrs. M. Hayden, Joseph Graham, Jere V. Fives, J. C. Riley, J. Matters, Mrs. M. Lloyd, Edward Kerwin, Miss M. Austr, Mrs. M. McCarthy, Mrs. C. Drennan and Mrs. J. Morin.

NOTES.

Mr. Arthur Lincoln Thomas, the popular deaf-mute salesman of Rogers Peet Company, of this city, will enjoy a two-week vacation in September, divided equally between the seashore and the mountains. It may not be generally known, but it is a fact that Mr. Thomas has been connected with Rogers Peet Company's 13th Street and Broadway store for the past 42 years. A very remarkable record for any one to be proud of.

On Tuesday, August 14th, there were about fifty or more deaf-mutes at Brighton Beach Baths. The weather was ideal, the water warm, and all there had a very nice time. The center of attraction this time was on the pretty wee baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Mendel Berman, who was in a bathing suit. The fireworks off the boardwalk at Coney Island in the evening was the best seen this summer, and the deaf who saw the display declared it wonderful.

Miss Vera Hoffman is returning from Los Angeles, Cal., early in September. She returns by boat through the Panama Canal, and will have a day in Panama City, where she will meet her old schoolmate at Fanwood, Ben DeCastro. She has been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruggero, whilom Fanwoodites, who will miss her as much as her New York friends will welcome her.

Miss Catherine Davey, of Providence, R. I., spent a week, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Call, of Brooklyn, N. Y. On Tuesday, August 14th, she was at the Brighton Beach Baths, and on Saturday, August 18th, she attended the Brooklyn Frats' picnic at Ulmer Park, and at both places she was introduced to many New York deaf-mutes.

Last Friday, Mesdames Osmond Loew, F. Simonson and Armuth, and little Helen Loew, motored up to Playland, in spite of the continuous downpour, and vivacious little Helen, being a chip off the old block, participated in all the amusements and even went as far as to win a prize at one of the "tricky stands."

Dora Cohen, Sally Wolf, Mattie Brown and Dorothy Kerbel, visited Marie Yazzo at White Plains, on Sunday, August 12th, then they all, including Marie's family, went to Rye Beach, by two autos. A delightful time was had there, meeting a lot of deaf people there.

Miss Beatrice Hasenstab, of Chicago, Ill., one of the daughters of Rev. and Mrs. Hasenstab, who has been in the city for the past six weeks, taking a course of study at the Y. M. C. A., was at the Brooklyn Frats' picnic.

Mrs. Edward Rappolt and children, are spending their vacation with Mrs. J. H. Kent. Besides her sister, Doris, Miss Ruth has her favorite girl friend with her at the Kent bungalow at Manomet, Mass.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Elsie DeCarney and her friend, Miss Anne Dunlap, who is from Meridyle, Del., were at the Deaf-Mutes' Union League. Miss Dunlap is to remain in New York permanently.

The Restons have for their guest Mrs. McLean, of Washington, and her two children. Last Sunday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Laing, they enjoyed an outing at Pelham Bay Park.

Miss Jessie Garrick, the winsome Scotch lassie, has been captured by Mr. Joseph Karus. Their betrothal was formally announced on Wednesday, August 15th.

Mrs. B. Elkin and Miss M. Hitz have gone to Smithtown, L. I., the guests of Mrs. Commerdinger. They expect to remain for a fortnight.

BORN—To Mrs. Ruth Blagriff, daughter of Charles Schindler, a baby-girl, thus making him the grandfather of nineteen.

Any family needing a maid for housework, should address Mrs. W. A. McIntyre 18th and Delaware Avenue, North Wildwood, N. J.

Mrs. Charles Thompson has been removed to a hospital, but her friends hope she will pull through.

The Capital City

Friends have received announcement of the marriage of Miss Anna Mae Bowen to Mr. William W. Duvall, Jr. They were married Wednesday, August 8th, in Baltimore, Md. They will be at home in Washington, D. C., at 833 Eighth Street, N. E.

About thirty deaf of this city attended the convention of the Virginia Association of the Deaf, August 9th, 10th, and 11th. They report having a glorious time, and the convention was well attended. Many also enjoyed visiting the Endless Caverns, also a trip to Massanutten Caverns, five miles east of Harrisonburg.

On Thursday it was raining, and to live up the gloomy atmosphere, Mr. H. K. Bush, of Richmond, Va., invited every one to attend the movie at his expense.

While the conventioners were on their way down to Harrisonburg, Va., from this city in a bus, Miss Pearl Lamb, of Alexandria, Route 1, Box 60, lost her new suit case containing five new dresses and other articles. At this writing the suit case has not been returned to her as yet.

The Tracys are home now at their same apartment. Rev Tracy was at the Convention of the Virginia Association of the Deaf in Harrisonburg, Va.

Miss Ruth Leitch expects to have a two weeks' vacation this week. Her host of friends hope she will have a good time.

The Bryants are still at Atlantic City. They expect to return before Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Duvall, Jr., (Anna Mae Bowen) were at the Convention of the Virginia Association of the Deaf.

Mrs. C. C. COLBY.

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BUFFALO

Anyone interested in the 1930 N. A. D. convention, and desiring information and free literature should write to A. L. Sedlowsky, Secretary Convention Committee, 89 Walnut Street, Buffalo, N. Y. News from outlying sections of Buffalo and Western New York intended for this column should be sent to same address.

Subscriptions to JOURNAL and renewals of subscriptions may be sent to Mr. A. Sedlowsky, who will forward same to the JOURNAL office.

"It is a long lane that has no turning," quoth Altor Sedlowsky, secretary of the local N. A. D. committee, and correspondent for the JOURNAL, and inasmuch as he vouchsafed no reason for the quotation, the natural inference was to my place of residence, Lockport, which is a good twenty-four miles from Buffalo; so it is hoping for the best that the writer takes over the assignment as Secretary Sedlowsky leaves on a much needed vacation that takes in Rochester, Detroit, Toronto and Chicago—an ambitious program, to be sure, and yet combining business with pleasure.

Mr. Julius Hannemann died August 11, at his sister's house, from a complication of illnesses, leaving to mourn his loss two sons and one daughter. The bearers were brother Frats, Frank Krahling, W. Elmer Davis, Patrick Norton, Patrick Slattery, N. Boss and John Conlin. He was educated at the Fanwood school and a shoemaker by trade. His wife preceded him in death about two years ago. The floral tributes were many beautiful, among them being a large and exquisite floral piece in the form of the frat emblem, from Buffalo, No. 40, of which deceased had been a member for many years.

Of a quiet and unassuming nature, his cheery smile will be greatly missed as he was a familiar figure at all local gatherings. *Requiescat in pace.*

Frank Seeley, of Clarence, was suddenly stricken last week, that for a time appeared to be serious, being a recurrence of an old trouble, but at this writing is slowly on the mend. On the 30th, President Frank Krahling, Deputy J. J. Coughlin, Secretary D. Ays and E. A. Briel, went over to see him.

John A. Ryan, quondam secretary of Buffalo, No. 40, is nothing if not optimistic, after all over his harrowing experience. Hero of a hundred tussles with the giant waves at Crystal Beach, and immune to the fierce rays of Old Sol, a case of the horse that went to the well once too often. On Saturday he was limping about town. Yes, sir, he got sunburnt in a tender and totally unexpected spot—his shins—yet Johnny is thankful it isn't on the spot where he sits down.

Buffalo, No. 40, N. F. S. D., held a largely attended meeting the 4th of this month, which in itself was quite unusual during the so-called "vacation month"—but just the same it attested the right spirit. Two pleasing visitors were Messrs. Lansing and Klock from Rochester. Another speaker was a Mr. Macziewski, of Washington, D. C., all of whom gave entertaining talks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Roberts, of Toronto, and Miss Helen Middleton, of Niagara Falls, Ont., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coughlin, August 5th and 6th. They took in Crystal Beach one day. It was amusing to see Mrs. Coughlin and Miss Middleton try out a new contraption, appropriately called the cyclone coaster.

Mr. Roberts is the Canadian correspondent for the JOURNAL—at it a decade, I believe, and not fagged out yet. Iron man stuff. Singularly enough, it was Mr. Roberts' first visit to Buffalo. He was duly impressed by all he saw and voted the Buffalo crowd a jolly bunch, well met. And it don't seem as if we saw the last of Mr. Roberts.

Miss Mary Ruby took a trip down to Crystal Beach recently and called on Mr. and Mrs. Sol Weil, who are summering there. Sol is the genial secretary of the local branch, N. A. D., and still on the job.

August 3d, a baby daughter came to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy. Both mother and the newcomer are doing well. They have another daughter, two years old.

Miss Ellen O. Sullivan has just returned to 2253 Main Street, after spending her two weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Norton. Incidentally, it was her first vacation in several years and she made the most of it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Landberg, of Erie, Pa., were in town visiting their parents and called on Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coughlin, Sunday, and left that night by motor for their home.

Mr. William A. Calkins, of North Tonawanda, is on a month's vacation, visiting in Toledo, Ohio, Detroit, Mich., and Chicago. He is due to be back by the first of the month. The trip was made for the benefit of his health, it being the first time he has been off from his work at the Wur-litzer in quite a time.

The Fisher Body Corporation of Buffalo, a subsidiary of the Chevrolet Motor Co., had a setback in its tremendous output of auto bodies last week and was compelled to lay off 399 men, which included quite a few deaf men, but Messrs. Gorenflo, Daniel Smith, Wilbur Johncoff, William Coughlin, Lawrence Smythe, Walter Carl and Elmer Briel were retained.

Bernard Rata has returned from a week's vacation, spent in Dayton, Ohio, taking in a picnic there, enjoying most wonderful time. A happy occasion was his meeting William Myles, a former Buffalonian, now of Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley and son, of Syracuse, the former fortunate in obtaining even a brief respite of three days from the Franklin Auto Works, utilized it in motoring down to Lockport to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Snyder. Mrs. Conley and her son, stayed a week longer, Mr. Conley motoring from Syracuse after them on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carl have announced their intention of taking in the Toronto Fair, going there by motor.

Last Saturday and Sunday Miss Eleanor Atwater entertained a few friends from Rochester and Buffalo at her mother's cottage at Olcott Beach, on Lake Ontario, at a house party, and all had high praise for the hostess' ingenuity.

Lawrence Lazzeri, of New York, is circulating among friends and relatives in this city. He is an artist and cartoonist.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clemens and children, of Tonawanda, spend their week-ends at the latter's sister's cottage at Edgewater. This place is on Grand Island and has fine bathing facilities.

Miss Martha Wells, of Batavia, and Miss Iva Ford, of Niagara Falls, will have their vacations at approximately the same time next week, and will visit Mrs. Strail in Syracuse, later going to Rochester for a few days.

Lawrence Smythe spent four days in Toronto, Ont., the forepart of last week, making the trip aboard the Steamer "Chippewa." On the return trip he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paul and son, of St. Thomas, Ont., who were enroute to Queenstown and Niagara Falls, Ont.

Rev. August H. Staubitz, a former Buffalonian, but now of Corning, has returned from a tour of Kentucky and Ohio, and knowing his ability as an eloquent and forceful speaker, we are confident that he has produced good results.

Mr. Alfred H. Hubbell, of Louisville, a former resident, was in town for three weeks, returning home this week. Sure thing he will be back for the N. A. D. convention.

Mr. William Klein's son, Nathan, leaves soon for Kansas City on business. His other son, Adolph, goes to Peoria, Ill., stopping enroute at Moushe there.

Dates ahead: Outing and field day given by the local committee for benefit N. A. D. convention fund, held at Schafer's Grove, East Delavan, at City Line. Tickets, twenty-five cents; children under 15 admitted free. A bang-up time promised and a record crowd anticipated.

October 21st to be pasted in your hat. John T. Shilton, of Toronto, Ont., lectures on as unannounced subject. A treat in store.

CHARLES N. SNYDER.

DETROIT

Remind this date—August 25—for Bob-Io Island Park outing, given by the E. E. Mission for the Deaf. Ten Grand Prizes—Five for Adults, 75 cents; children (6 to 15 years), 40 cents.

Billy Ryan, 15 year-old son of Mrs. Fred Ryan, had a nice birthday party, at 13437 Maine Street, last August 9th. There were fifteen children who had a very pleasant time and nice presents.

Mr. Ralph Huhn's sister-in-law, who had seen sick for two years, passed away August 4th, and was buried at Ann Arbor. Her husband and two children survive. Our sympathy goes to Mr. Huhn.

It has been rumored that Mr. Frank Smith, of Ypsilanti, Mich., bought a new Whippet car. Surely they can come to Detroit oftener than they did before. Watch their big smiles when they come.

Edwin Maczkowski, of Washington, D. C., was our new caller for a few days, he visited his folks and relatives here and he intended to spin around Buffalo and other cities before he goes back to Washington, D. C.

Messrs. Abe Stern, Joseph Pfeiler and Rozele McCall, were in Detroit. Mr. McCall is going to drive his car to Chicago and leave others in Detroit, as Abe Stern will stay and visit his brother.

George Evans, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been staying with his brother here, and he will make his home with his sister soon, when his sister moves from Cleveland, Ohio.

Messrs. Archie Nerrod and McCordle had been in an accident, as Nerrod's motorcycle tipped over. Mr. McCordle's arm was broken and the other suffered a few scratches. They are improving at present.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Japes had an operation for tonsillitis and adenoids last Monday, August 6th. She is getting better now.

Detroit Fraternal Club of the Deaf, had a peach social on August 11th. Good crowd. All prize winners got peaches. The winners were Miss Nellie Perliskey, Horace Waters, Jr., Mr. Leylan Wood, Mrs. Norma Huhn and Michael Duibel.

Mrs. Luddie Herbst and young son, of Flint, Mich., were the guests of Mrs. Charles Miller for a few days,

and while in Detroit took in the excursion to Port Huron with several deaf friends. Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. H. Day, Mrs. Mahl and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Ina Pilon, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Miller and her guests.

Mrs. Peter Hellers and her children got back from Erie, Pa., and they went to Bay City and spent a few days' visit.

Have you folks been canning? Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Drake spent Saturday and Sunday with their relatives at Grand Ledge.

Mr. Ben Hall left the city for Chicago last Thursday.

Eugene R. Rousseau, of Dearborn, who has been away on his two weeks' vacation, visiting his mother and relatives in Somerset, Ky., resumed work at the Dearborn Ford Plant last Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Krohngold underwent an operation for three tumors last Thursday, at Harper Hospital. Hope for her speedy recovery.

John Cole bought a Ford roadster. Now he can enjoy his trips from city to city.

Mr. John Polk is again in the Simpson Memorial Hospital at Ann Arbor. He has been sick with anemia. He is No. 2, N. F. S. D. boy. We all hope his health will be restored.

Mrs. LUCY E. MAX.

OHIO

The following shows that the Columbus deaf have been wide awake preparing for the N. F. S. D. State Convention.

Arrangements are practically complete for the second annual convention of the Association of Ohio Division of the N. F. S. D., to be held in Columbus, on September 1st and 2d. The meetings are to be held at the new Woodman Home, 36 West College Street, and the first meeting, on Saturday afternoon, September 1st, will be open to the public and will probably include addresses by the mayor and representatives of the State Insurance Commissioner and Workmen's Compensation Departments. A separate hall will be furnished for the entertainment of ladies and non-frat visitors while the Saturday night meeting, which will be open only to Frats, is being held. Sunday morning there will be services at the same place, open to all, and the afternoon and perhaps Sunday evening will be devoted to the business of the convention.

On Monday (Labor Day) there will be an all-day picnic and ox roast at the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf, for everybody but those desiring tickets for the ox roast must obtain them from the local committee before Monday evening, August 27th. Games and contests will also be provided.

A large crowd is anticipated and all who attend may be sure they will be well looked after. We hope Columbus will not have regular convention temperature up to the nineties.

Mr. Charles H. Cory, Jr., of St. Petersburg, Fla., who has been looking forward to greeting his friends at the convention finds that he will be unable to do so, but extend sincere greetings.

Mr. Bert C. Wortman, who left Cincinnati for Florida some months ago finds the Florida air is restoring his health, and he and Mrs. Wortman have decided to stay there as Old Sol is too much for them in Ohio and the winters too severe.

Miss Angelina Pierulla, of Columbus, took advantage of an excursion to Cincinnati, August 12th, and there met Miss Katherine Toskey, who showed her the sights of Cincy especially the wonderful Zoological Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaFountain the newly-weds, were seen entering a furniture store in Columbus recently and that probably means they are getting ready to go to housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Holdren have said good-bye to Florida, and he has accepted the position as baker in the Ohio school. Mrs. Holdren has returned to her old position for a time. It seems Mrs. Holdren did not like Florida.

Mrs. William Mayer was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Club, August 8th, at her mother's home instead of in the country at her own home.

Dr. Robert Patterson spent a short time at Rye Beach and returned to meet his son, Dr. Donald Patterson and family, who made a few days stop in Columbus on their way to Dartmouth College, where Dr. D. Patterson was to attend a meeting.

Mrs. Walter Wark left the other day for Canton, Ohio, to visit her only brother and the latter returned to Columbus with her. Then both went to Washington, C. H., to attend a family reunion. Mr. Wark, who is enjoying his vacation, preferred to remain at home and quietly rest in the coolness of his home. While at Canton, Miss Wark tried to call on friends in Akron and nearby towns.

Miss Bessie MacGregor is at present in Chicago, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Roberts. Before returning Miss MacGregor will visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rink (Clara Winton).

Miss Jean MacGregor, engaged in welfare work in Iowa, has been touring the Black Hills with friends and expects to spend a week at home in Grove City sometime this fall.

Mr. A. B. Greener left August 12th, for Chicago, to spend a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Sherman, who lives near the big city. Mr. Greener was the week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Snyder last week.

At last report Mr. Raymond, a resident at the Home from Piqua, was in a serious condition. His health has been failing him for some time.

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Greensburg, Pa.

It is definitely understood that a big delegation of silents from Westmoreland County will attend the annual convention of the P. S. A. D., in connection with the biennial reunion of the Western Pennsylvania Alumni Association, to be held in the commodious chapel of the Edgewood School for the Deaf, on August 31st, September 1st, 2d and 3d. From present indications, there will be a grand reception and dance for the benefit of visitors in the dining room of the school on Saturday September 2d.

Mr. Marion Allen, an attache of the Greensburg *Daily Tribune-Morning Review* Publishing Company, has been appointed chairman of the committee on sports for the reunion, which will take place in the beautiful campus of the school on September 3d, Labor Day. He informs us that he will surprisingly spring a few new tricks on those who intend attending both meetings. He is an alumnae of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. James McK. Prinzer are ensconced in a comfortable home, 175 Sidney Street, in this city. Mr. Prinzer works in Schaller's bakery every night, and enjoys his wages quite well.

Souvenir cards from Roy Nordstrom have been received here stating that he arrived in Lansing, Mich., in safety the other day, for a two weeks' vacation being spent with his uncle and family. Also that he is enjoying himself in camp along the beautiful lake. The surroundings, he says, are lovely, indeed. He is employed in a local printing establishment.

Mrs. John Etter, of Lancaster, Pa., after spending the past few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Poole, on Meadowbrook near Hunker, recently left for Pittsburgh, and is spending a month with her parents. Mrs. Etter expects to participate in the P. S. A. D., and the W. A. A. reunion, to be held jointly at the Edgewood school, of which she is a graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Poole last May entertained, at a well-appointed dinner at their country home, the following invited guests: Mrs. Harold Smith, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Felix S. Hogenmiller, of Jeannette; Mrs. Julia Collins, of Foxdale; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry O. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. James McK. Prinzer, and "Rex," of Greensburg; and Roy Nordstrom, of Latrobe, and John B. Smith, of Mt. Pleasant. It's no wonder that those invited were loud in their praise of the splendid dinner their estimable hostess had prepared, which they would ever remember with interest and pleasure.

James Watts, a North Carolina boy, is still employed as linotype operator on the Jeannette *News-Dispatch*. He expects to leave shortly for a two weeks' vacation somewhere in the East. We wish our jovial friend a most delightful vacation.

Ye local has returned from Warsaw, Indiana, where he spent his vacation with his brother, one of the leading attorneys of that city, and family. His nieces (four) and himself motored up to Eberhard Camp, in Michigan, where they visited his young nephew, who was spending the past few weeks in a Y. M. C. A. camp along Cory's Lake. Your scribe was really glad to see the nephew in splendid physical health.

The Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf

OFFICIAL NOTICE

The forty-second meeting of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf, in conjunction with a Reunion of the Western Pennsylvania Alumni Association, will be held at the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, Swissvale and Walnut Streets, Edgewood, Pittsburgh, Pa., August 31st-September 3d, 1928. All who are interested in the welfare of the deaf, whether members of this society or not, are cordially invited to attend this gathering.

Meals and lodging will be provided for visitors at the school, for about \$2 per day. Good hotel accommodations may be had in the vicinity, but the rate offered by the school is much lower than could be obtained at any hotel, and visitors are advised to take advantage of it.

A fine program has been arranged, replete with interesting features, and by all the portents this meeting will be the biggest and most enjoyable gathering ever held by this grand old society, which is now nearing its first half century of service to the deaf.

Visitors should purchase tickets to East Liberty, Pa., as only trains stop at Edgewood.

HENRY J. PULVER, Secretary.
MILLERSBURG, PA.

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31.

Morning Registration.

Afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock—Opening meeting of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf.

Invocation.
Remarks by Edwin C. Ritchie, President of the Society.

Reading of the call for this Convention.

Annual Report of the Board of the Managers.

Annual Report of the Committee on Management of the Home.

New Business.

Adjournment.

Evening, at 7:30 o'clock—Combined meeting.

Invocation.
"America"—Mrs. Harold Smith.

Address of Welcome by Hon. J. Charles Wilson, President of Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf.

Address by A. C. Manning, Superintendent.

Responses by Frank A. Leitner, Chairman Local Committee of the P. S. A. D., and Samuel J. Rogalski, Chairman of the Auxiliary Committee of the Alumni Association.

Address by Edwin C. Ritchie, President of the P. S. A. D.

Address by Cyril A. Painter, President of the Alumni Association.

Appointment of Committees for both associations.

Announcements.

Adjournment.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1.

Morning, at 9:00 o'clock—Business meeting of the P. S. A. D.

Invocation.

Call to order.

Reading of the Minutes.

Treasurer's Report.

Report of Committee on Nominations.

Election of Four Managers.

Recess of Reorganizations.

Unfinished business.

New Business.

Adjournment.

Afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock—Sightseeing.

Evening, at 7:30 o'clock—Reception by Supt. and Mrs. A. C. Manning of the W. P. S. D. to be followed by a grand ball.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

Morning, at 10:00 o'clock—Chapel talk.

Afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock—Business session of the Alumni Association of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf.

Invocation.

"Dear Old Edgewood"—Mrs. Wesley Stevenson.

Opening remarks by Cyril A. Painter, President of the Alumni Association.

Reading of the Minutes.

Report of the Treasurer.

Report of the Officers.

Report of the Committee on Nomenclology and Auditing.

New Business.

"Auld Lang Syne"—Miss Irene Schifano.

Adjournment. (Photograph to be taken on the campus after adjournment.)

Evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Invocation.

"Star Spangled Banner"—Mrs. Harry Zahn.

Report of Committee on Revised Rules.

Committee on Resolutions. (Both P. S. A. D. and Alumni Associations.)

Unfinished Business.

Election of Officers.

Appointment of Auxiliary Committee by the new President.

Adjournment sine die.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

Morning, at 9:00 o'clock—Baseball Game, Married men vs. Single.

Afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock—Field events.

Evening—Farewell.

FIELD EVENTS.

1. Weaving Race, Ladies
2. Hoptoad Race, Men
3. Spinning Race, Ladies
4. Leap Frog Race, (Teams of two each), Men
5. T. N. T. Race, Ladies
6. Cripple Race, Men
7. Chariot Race, (Team of four each), Ladies
8. Sack Race, Men
9. Peanut Race, No. 1, Ladies
10. Peanut Race, No. 2, Men
11. Pie Eating Contest, Ladies
12. Fable Race, Men
13. Old Mail Race, Ladies
14. Broom Race, Men (Married vs. single.)
15. Tug-of-War, Men.

If there are many children, events may be arranged for them. Prizes in cash will be given the winners of each event. Refreshments will be sold all day in the charge of the Alumni Auxiliary Committee.

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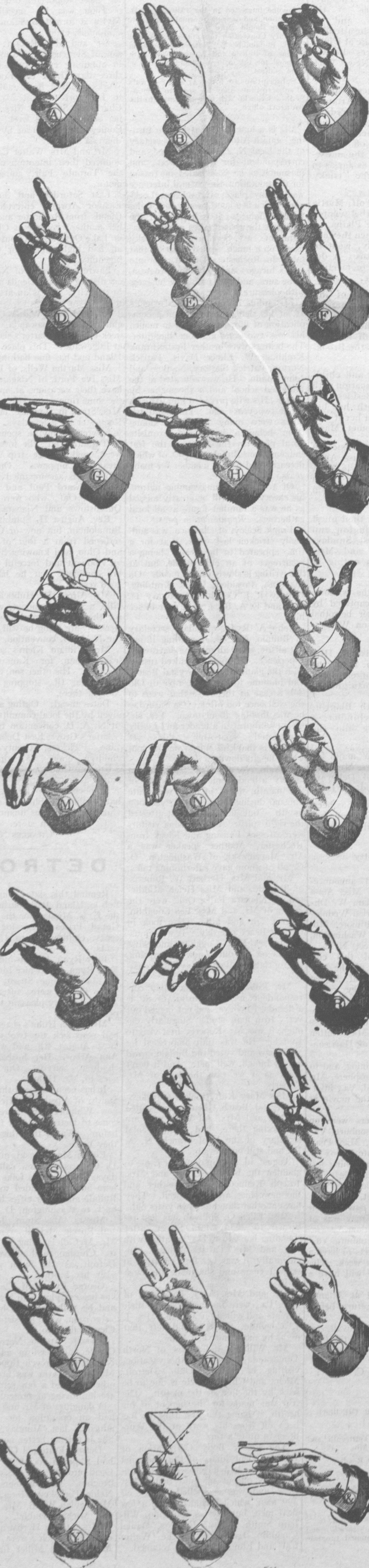
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